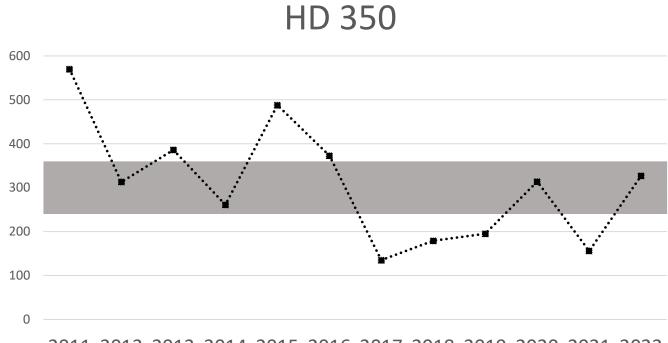
- Current population objectives are expressed as a desired number of elk counted, and typically include a range around that value (+/-20%). The range accounts for anticipated variability in elk counts among years. In this HD, should FWP maintain the current form of objective (point value with fixed range) or should FWP consider alternative population objective forms, like using the long-term average (5 years, 10 years) +/- 20%, or some other approach to establish a population objective?
- Elk populations are classified into objective status using annual or biennial survey data. Because
 there is often variation among surveys, would it be more appropriate to use individual surveys or a
 3-year average of surveys to determine objective status for this HD or would you recommend some
 other approach?



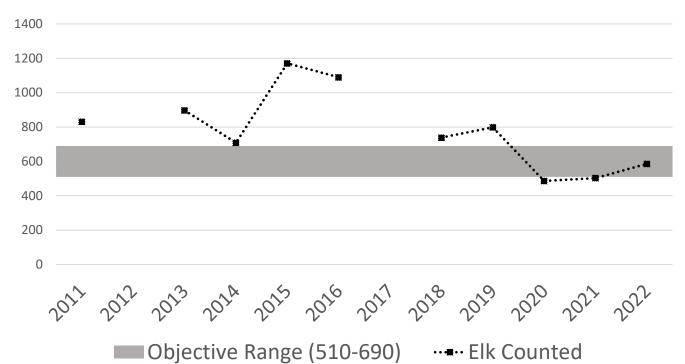




2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022

Objective Range (240-360) ···•·· Elk Counted







- The current population objective for HDs 350 and 370 combined is 600 (range 480-720). Do you think the current population objective level should be maintained, increased, or decreased? If increased or decreased, what should the new range be?
- Should population objectives for HD 350 and HD 370 remain combined or be separate? If separate, what should the new ranges be?



- In HD 350, there is a bull objective of maintaining at least 10 bulls:100 cows during post-season aerial surveys. Should there be a bull objective in this HD? If so, is the current bull objective appropriate? If not, what should it be?
- Are you satisfied with the current elk distribution in this HD? If not, would you suggest any specific objectives to address the distribution?
- What else does the Elk Management Plan need to include for this HD?

